

Falls City man injured in wreck

**(KLZA)-- A Falls City man required hospitalization following a two-vehicle rear-end collision Tuesday morning.**

**The Richardson County Sheriff's Office reports the wreck occurred at 648 Boulevard on the north side of Highway 8, about two miles west of Falls City.**

**The Sheriff's Office says 71-year-old John Martin of Falls City was westbound in a pickup on Highway 8 and slowed to turn north into a housing area driveway.**

**A van driven by 41-year-old David Schlapia of Maryville, Missouri was following Martin and did not realize Martin had slowed down and ran into the back of Martin's pickup.**

**Martin was transported to Community Medical Center in Falls City by ambulance with what were described as non-life-threatening, but disabling injuries.**

**Schlapia was not hurt.**

**The wreck was reported shortly after 10:00 Tuesday morning.**

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